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January 20, 2002 ELA70684119US **Box: PATENT APPLICATION Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, DC 20231 Serial No.: 09/892,238 Applicant: MARGARYAN, ALFRED A. Filing Date: 06/26/01 Group Art Unit: 1755 **É**xaminer: Unknown FLUOROPHOSPHATE GLASS AND METHOD FOR MAKING THEREOF For: Dear Assistant Commissioner for Patents: This amendment is filed to maintain the parent case that is to be abandoned when filing a new application claiming its benefit. The amendment in this case is a bona fide attempt by applicant to advance this application to final action and comprises a separately filed: (a) **Continuation Application** X Continuation-in-Part Application (b) (c) Divisional Application (where parent case is to be abandoned. A copy of this amendment is being filed with the papers constituting the filing of the separately filed application. 2. The amendment being filed in this case is attached. 3. This is a petition for extension of time to respond to: the Office Action mailed on , and Advisory Action dated (d)

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In regards to application of:

Applicant: ALFRED A. MARGARYAN

Invention:

FLUROPHOSPHATE GLASS AND METHOD FOR MAKING

**BOX: PATENT APPLICATION** 

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** 

Washington, DC 20231

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